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LOGNOTE: Chief Okinawa Bureau, 26 June 1980--Was visited 25 June by Marine Lt. Nancy LaLantas of the Camp Butler Public Affairs Office in connection with [ ] project. She had received inquiries from Hq./USFJ for background information on project, presumably in consequence of the subject having been raised by D/FBIS and myself during our visit to Hq./USFJ on 23 June. The headquarters public affairs officer had sent her a questionnaire reflecting the kinds of inquiries he apparently thinks he might receive if and when the [ ] draws attention from the Okinawa leftist press. I gave her a background briefing on FBIS and the [ ] project and helped her formulate her replies to USFJ. She came back today with the draft, which I okayed. (Copy of her answering message attached.)

Comment: We had cleared the project with the Consulate, the Okinawa Area Coordinator, the embassy, and USFJ. The Communications Planning Officer at USFJ coordinated further with the Japanese radio frequency control authorities and Japanese liaison for new construction at U.S. bases. We also coordinated with the U.S. Air Force facilities engineers at Kadena Air Base (our "landlord"). I think we have covered the bases and can proceed with confidence.

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